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WIN GREAT VICTORY OVER GERMANS

TOMMIES CHASE HUNS OVER FRONT OF 23 MILES WITH SMALL LOSS TO ATTACKERS

DAY DISASTROUS FOR ENEMY WHO LOST WIDE STRETCHES OF GROUND, NUMEROUS TOWNS, THOUSANDS OF MEN MADE PRIS-ONERS, HEAVY CASUALTIES AND GREAT QUANTITIES OF STORES AND MATERIAL; PRINCE RUPPRECHT ATTEMPTS IN VAIN TO STEM TIDE OF DEFEAT BY SENDING FORWARD REIN-FORCEMENTS BUT THIS MERELY ADDED TO HIS CASUALTIES WITHOUT STOPPING BRITISH

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 23, 3:40 p. m., (By the Associated Press.)—Victorious on a battle front of twenty-three miles extending from the Cojeul river on the north, across the Ancre and Somme rivers almost to Lihons, the Third and Fourth British armies under General Byng and General Rawlinson at mid-afternoon were vigorously following up their successes of today, which apparently has been one of the most disastrous days ever experienced by the Germans.

The enemy has lost wide stretches of ground, numerous towns, thou-sands of men made prisoner and large quantities of materials and guns He also again has had heavy casualties.

Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, the German commander, has thrown his men in before the advancing British armies in an effort to stave off the inevitable but only to have them mowed down again and again by storms of metal which poured from the British gims. One entire enemy battalion , was annihilated during the fighting.

Dead Germans in great numbers are scattered everywhere over the battie field. As an example, 400 enemy dead were observed this morning on one small piece of ground over which the battle had swept.

with all this fierce fighting and not-withstanding the fact that the British at many places have fought over open ground against an enemy protected in "pot holes" and strong points of other kinds, the British losses everywhere seem to have been extraordinarily light. This probably is due to the confusion the Germans find reigning behind their lines as they are fighting a losing battle which for them hourly grows more disastrous.

Crown Prince Rupprecht today had strengthened his line at many places, but this instead of stopping the British, simply meant that the Germans suffered bigger losses

During the night and this morning the front upon which the battle was being fought yesterday was widened appreciably both to the north and the south, while the ground in the middle between Albert and Beaucourt-Sur-Ancre which heretofore had been fairly quiet, suddenly was drawn into the

reports seemed to be as follows:

beyond the Arras-Bapaume road.

and afterwards from the embankment, for a glorious barvest. stormed forward and reached Hamelinported to be less than a thousand yards west of Ervillers some hours ago.

from their positions northwest of St. British found time to cheer heartily.

suffer more here, where they have met

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SUGAR SITUATION IN BISBEE REACHES SERIOUS STAGE

LESS THAN ONE TON OF GRANU-LATED SUGAR IN BISBEE NOW AND ALL CANNING CERTIFI-CATES TO MERCHANTS SUS. Ask Producers of PENDED TEMPORARILY

The sugar situation in Bisbee, while in no means critical, still is sufficiently grave to warrant prudent care upon the part of users and strict conservation on the part of users and to warrant orders for strict conservation on the part of Robert Rae of Douglas, county food administrator. With less than one ton in the hands of local dealers here, there has been a general suspension of extraordinary consumption until readjustment can be

C. H. Hogan, acting local foot administrator in the absence of E. C. Campbell, said yesterday he had received notification from Mr. Rae last Saturday that no more canning certificates should be issued until further

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Submarine Officer Insane With Fear of Hereafter, Says Sunk the Lusitania

TOULON, Aug. 23.—The British passenger steamship Bandy, while etween Malta and Sicfly was torpedoed by a German submarine. Although the explosion tore a gapping wound in her starboard side the vessel succeeded in reaching the harbor here today. The U-boat which fired the torpedo was sunk by patrol boats. Six of the submarine's crew were saved, including the first mate.

The mate of the submarine when hoisted aboard a destroyer at-tempted to commit suicide. He

appeared to be insure. He said the lost U-boat had torpedoed the Cunard liner Lusitania and had destroyed an aggregate of 600,000 tons of other allied shipping.

Available shipping registers do not list the British steamship Bandy and she probably is a new vessel. Advices from London on August 10 said that Lieutenant Commander Schwieger, who commanded the submarine which sank the Lusitania, had been killed when his U-boat struck a mine in the North Sea.

The House Votes Down All

Amendments on Manpower

Measure and Will Act Up-

(By Review Lensed Wire)

colors under the man power bill ex-

tending draft age limits to 18 and 45

years, lost their initial fight in the

house late today and the way was

paved for the passage of the bill by the house tomorrow. The senate dis-

posal of minor amendments caused

enders to hope that the measure could

be passed there also before the week end adjournment tomorrow.

the house members during the debate

Plans for a final vote on the meas-

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.-Champ-

on Bill Today

MISTER HOOVER

Tells What Has Been Accomplished and What Must Be Done in Future

(By Review Leased Wire) NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—The United States will share with the allies their lons of the house military committee's sacrifice of food as well as blood in pian to direct the war department to the cause of world democracy, declar-defer calling of youths of 18 to 19 ed Herbert C. Hoover, federal food adversa until older men have joined the inistrator, on his arrival here today n route to Washington, after a brief isit to England and France.

Asserting that "we have to make good," a pledge to this effect which he had given to the allied food administrators while sitting "at a common table in a common cause," Mr. Hoover said that, to do so, America will next year have to supply the allies 4,000,000,-000 pounds of fats, 900,000,000 pounds of beef products, 500,000,-000 bushels of cereals, and 1,500,-000 tons of sugar. However, Mr. Hoover added, beginning September 1 there will be no need for drastic food rationing in the allied countries, except in the case of sugar and beef.

"The harvests of France, England ican heart as that of the literally mil- son of Washington had presented a lions of women doing all the work of smal! 18 year old page in a soldier's getting in the harvests while their coat and trench heimet, to support men are at work in the shops and driv- his claim that 18 year olds are mere ing back the Germans."

Of the foodstuffs that America

"Upon North America falls the bur- by declaring British and French offifeed our own enormous army. We can can marines who at Chateau Thierry ported the Germans had disappeared ing, for which they were brigaded with do it if we simply have the will to the Prench and British has been known live with every economy and to waste saved Paris.

"By the great effort of our farmers, our United States harvests are better of some of the important enemy posi- as we had last year, we have decided tions overrun during the day. Recent to mix 20 per cent of other grains journ was carried and the amendment evidence of the mettle of Pershing's with wheat flour in all the countries with several others of a minor nature

there than even last winter, and the fi-ht" emendment as reported in the canture. health of their peoples cannot be bill to the samete, was unnecessary. be also restricted in their allowance of and Thomas of Colorado mode the bend in the line to the north of Sois- observed to make direct hits.

shortage that cannot be helped. We ment and savine it casts no reflection parently are on dangerous ground

DRIVE HUNS

FROM THE REGION OF ARRAS TO THE NORTH OF SOISSONS. GERMAN ARMIES ARE MEETING BLOWS WHICH SPELL ULTI-MATE DISASTER FOR THEM

REINFORCEMENT FAILS

UTTERLY UNABLE TO STAY AT-GERMAN SOLDIERS BROUGHT UP WHO SLAUGHTER THOUSANDS AS THEY MOVE FORWARD

UNDATED WAR LEAD, BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. Over the fifty mile battle front from the region of Arras to the north of Soissons the German armies are meeting with defeats which appar-ently spell disaster. Everywhere the British and French forces have continued on the attack the enemy has been sangulnarily worsted. And the end of his trials is not yet in sight.

To the British, over the thirty miles of the fighting zone from the Cojeul river southeast of Arras, to Lihona south of the Somme, numerous towns have fallen. Enemy territory has been pene

trated to a depth of several miles. The French are fighting be-tween the Matz river and the territory north of Soissons. Goodly gains have been made in the engeneral maneuver which seeks to crush or drive out the Germans from the salient between the Somme and the Ailette and to put into jeopardy the entire German line running to Rheims.

At the close of a day of vigorous dethe military committee directing sep- able momentarily to hold back their commander then supplanted gun ffre arate classificaton and delayed call of on-coming foes the Germans finally with a torpedo. As the projectile tore youths from 18 to 20. Amendments by were forced to cede the ground. For amidahips through the Diomed a seaepresentatives Johnson of Washing- the on and Blackman of Alabama to fix price in killed, wounded and men in a flood of steam as the bollers the draft age minimum at 19 and 21 made prisoner.

years, respectively also were defeated. The entire Arras-Albert road has Dramatic touches were given to the been crossed by the British. The the newest type, with deck guns fore and Italy are better than one could debate in the house by Representative strongly held positions where the Ger- and aft. It cruised among the small expect in the tremendous drain of man Tilson of Connecticut, who amid mans saw disaster facing them if they boats, the captain said and offered power to the front," Mr. Hoover said cheers, called upon four marines in fell, were stormed and captured and medical assistance to his wounded, in a statement tonight. "This is due the galleries to stand in evidence that the British passed them going east- but he declined, fearing a ruse to were Achiet Le Grand, where hitter fighting has been in progress for sev. sel was bound in ballast from Livereral days; Boyelles and Gomiecourt, British admiralty.

northeast of Albert, The taking of Aichiet, and farther children. Representative Olney of east of the town of Bihucourt, give Massachusetts aroused partiotism of Haig a dominating position over Bapaume from which the railway and Thienval is surrounded on three sides and its capitulation must follow.

ure in the house tonight were lost in the midst of a wrangle over an amend-Chuignolles and Chuignes and had ment by Representative Madden of Ulinois, prohibiting deferred classifithrown out forces eastward to outflank Bray on the south and Chaulnes cation of government employes be

Midway of the battle line south of vote could be taken a motion to adbeen little fighting, the allied comforces made it certain, it was believed, that if the American divisions were with the allied troops, their locality tonight would be at the apex of the much easier than last year, and in al- amendments placing restrictions on compel the Germans to seek refuge be lied countries an enormous improve the callies of voutes of 18 and 19 de. hind the old Hindenburg line, ground footed. The president also was un- soon will have to be given here auto-"It will be a bad winter in Europe, derstood to have informed the sen- matically in order to save large num- FRANCE. Ang 23, (By the Associated because coal will be much shorter are that in his apinion the "work or bers of men, guns and supplies from

With the continuation of the French and etz. twice this afternoon and dronnaintained if they, in addition, are to Sepators Ladge of Massachussetts drive from the Matz river around the ped forty-one hombs. Six bombs were ead and fats.

"The only real difficulty in the ste in behalf of the hill, the latter Soissons the Germans still within the United States is sugar and that is a supporting his work or fight smend-lower portion of the old salient an-

Government Takes Denver and Salt Lake Railroad

(By Review Lonsed Wire) WASHINGTON, Aug. 23 .- Operation of the Denver & Salt Lake railroad is to be taken over imme diately by the government under an agreement reached here today between the railroad administration and the receiver of the road. The government agreed to pay the standard basis of compensation. One-half of the cost of in-

one-half by the railroad. Increased wages will be granted employes of the Denver & Sait Lake as of January 1 and and back payment made immediately.

creased wages since January 1 is

to be met by the government and

The railroad administration will also make \$600,000 repairs on the

STRIKE IS OFF DENVER, Colo., Aug. 23-When A. F. Whitney, spokesman for the joint committee of the union employes of the Denver & Salt Lake

railroad who have been on a strike, received a telegram to-night from W. S. Carter of the division of labor of the rallway administration at Washington, telling him of the action of the government in taking over the line, he declared that the strike was automatically off.

FOCH SAYS ALL LOSS IN CREW

and Strike Declared Off

Shelled and Torpedoed by Grand Old Man of the War German Submarine 125 Miles East of New York; Crew Takes to Boats

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Shelled and orpedoed by a big German submaine just at sunrise Wednesday morning, the British freighter Diomed was sunk with the loss of two of her crew and wounding of many others, 125 miles east of New York. Of the 104 survivors brought here by another steamship many had been cut by shrapmet and sealded by steam when a torpedo crashed through the boiler

Thought atacked without warning, the Diomed's gun crew answered the German fire, but without effect. After bate the house rejected, 167 to 120 the amendment of Representative McKen-zie of Illinois, written into the bill by but without avail. Where they were freighter's steering gear. The raider man was killed. Others were eaugh

burst, and one died abourd a life boat. The submarine was a large craft of The Diomed, a 4700 ton steel vesnool to New York in service of the

SWEDISH SHIP WARNED AN ATLANTIC PORT, Aug. 23. A Swedish freighter which

highway runs eastward to Cambrai here today was stopped by a German Farther south the old fortress of submarine vesterday. 70 miles off this nort and held for an hour while the U-boat examined her paners. The Ger-Friday night saw the British stand, man officer told the freighter's caping well to the east of Albert and tain he allowed him to go because he south of the Somme they were holding was engaged in carrying food-stuffs for his own country. The captain was warned he was likely to be sunk if he continued in the American Irade.

"You would not sink us without varning would yours one of the ofthe Somme around Roye there has fivers of the Swedish shin asked. "Then't he too sure about that best not to take any chances," was the re-

AMERICANS BOMB TOWNS

other President Comment where WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN Prous.)-American bombing alvolanes flMew over Conflans between Verdun

Local Business Is to Consider Cash and Carry

All members of the business men's association are requested to attend an important meeting of the association at the offices in the Moheim building in Brewery Guich at S o'clock Monday night, at which time will be discussed the question of adopting a strictly cash and non delivery system in this district. All local merchants, whether members of the association or not, are urged to be: present and feel free to discuss this matter.

CAUSE OF ALLIES

Expresses Himself Briefly When Interviewed by Correspondent at Front

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 23 (By the Associated Press).-"Everything is going well. We have begun our action and we shall continue," said Marsha! Foch to the war correspondents today.

The marshal received the newspaper men in the spacious salon of an old chateau. The most con-spicuous objects in the room were the military maps on the wall. Advancing to meet his visitors, with simple cordiality, the marshal

"I am gold to see you, but I do not know just what I can say to you, other than that everything is going well. We have begun our action and we shall continue. Asked concerning prospects for for the future, the marsha! said

Realities are far better than any sort of promise. It is useless to make promises that may give rise to exaggerated hopes. ing but realities count."

Reminded of a previous occasion when he said that the Ger-mans wave had been broken, Marshal Foch replied:

"Well, now it is retiring; see for yourselves." Walking to a map on the wall be pointed out the progress made by the allies since the offensive began in July. One correspondent having referred to the French soldiers, the marshal "You may say anything you like

about them. Whatever you say will never be too much. They are coine on without respite, without relief and without rest. We can ask anything of them: they are always ready to go on." "You rell the American people that

their soldiers are admirable," said Marshal Foch to the correspondent of the Associated Press. "They ask nothing better than to go to their death.

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LAMAR COBB OUT OF **RACE WITHDRAWING** IN OSBORN'S FAVOR

FORMER STATE ENGINEER IS SECOND MAN TO QUIT RACE FOR GOVERNORSHIP, MAKING CAMPAIGN FOR DEMOCRATIC CHOICE TRIANGULAR AFFAIR

PHOENIX, Ariz., Aug. 23.—Lamar Cobb, former state engineer, has withdrawn from the governorship race in favor of Sidney P. Osborn, secretary of state. Cohb's withdrawal from the race was announced this week in the following letter:

"Phoenix, Ariz. "August 22, 1918. To the Arizona Gazette,

"Phoenix, Aria.

"Mr. Editor

"I desire to announce to the public and especially to those most loyar friends who have been supporting me in the contest for the democratic nomination for governor that I am not

financially able to place my candidacy (Continued on Page Three)

While It Has Been Understood

Americans Were Brigaded With British, No Mention Made in War News

(By Review Leased Wire) WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Almost From the northern edge of the battle unvarying success described in today's field to the south the situation at last dispatches, telling of the great allied offensive on the 50 mile front stretch-New attacks from the River Cojetal ing from Soissons northward to the and south carried the British across environs of Arras raised hopes in milithe Albert-Arras railroad embankment, tary circles here for the most severe The British apparently hold Boiry-Bec- defeat yet administered to the Gerquerelle and Boyelles and have passed mans. Observers were of the opinion that General Fech's whittling tac- to the women. There is no sight in the youths of 18 neake excellent soldiers. ward. Notable among these places of his men prisoners. The troops just to the south, who tics of the past six weeks have been world that would appeal to the Amer. This was after Representative Johnfor two days have been fighting for so effective that opportunity has come

Absence of any mention of Amercourt and are pushing on toward Er- ican troops in the descriptions of the villers, St. Leger and Croisflies, Air- great fight led to interested speculaplanes reported that British tanks had tion as to the whereabouts of General crossed the road between Ervillers and Pershing's thirty divisions which, ac-St. leger, while some infantry was re- cording to recent announcement are must export, Mr. Hoover said: field army. That practically all of den of food supply. We have also to cers conceded that it was the Ameri-Leser and between that town and for some time. It has been thought a nothing. Hamelincourt and that the fighting considerable number of Americans still are with the British third and fourth Apparently the Germans, rather than armies and most military officers this year but in order that we may offer more here, where they have met were at a loss to understand why they build up a surplus of wheat this year. with some of their heaviest losses, de had not been identified in the capture as against possible crop failures such cause of their employment. Before a

> Concentration at this time of the inited States divisions on the allmerican front, when the forward ovement of the more northern armles promises so much might mean General Foch has assigned to Pershing some important task closely linked

with the major strategy

Gold to Prepare Capacity Lists

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 23. Resolutions calling upon all gold producers in the western states to prepare a statement of their capacity and plans, with a view to increasing production, were passed by the executive committee of the American go'd conference here today. Following the receipt of this information the committee planued to formulate an increased production plan for presentation government authorities in Washington. The committee was named at a recent meeting of the American gold conference at Reno, Nevada.

GARFIELD REFUSES INCREA

and other officials of the United Mine the eighth district. answer from the fuel administration they had ratified the so-called Wasin cost of living most mine workers were today in response to their request for ington wage agreement at their blen- suffering hardships.

stop the bonus system.

Bonuses were characterized by Mr. years from April 1, 1918."

Garfield as "an evil." He announced The miners' representatives did not WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.-Increase that the first action toward forcing present any definite demands for an in the wages of coal miners as a sub. the abandonment of the practice increase, but stated the miners were stitute for the payment of bonuses in the Cambridge and Hocking fields bonuses many of them had been re-will not be approved by Fuel Admin-of Ohio and a reduction of five cents ceiving and that they wanted a flat istrator Garfield. Pres. Frank J. Hayes a ton in all other Ohio fields excepting wage larger than the present scale. It was also represented that the min-Workers of America, received this and the other miners' officials that and that under the burden of the high

a flat increase in wages in lieu of the nial convention, under which the wage | Convinced they could not obtain Dr. payment of bonuses. They were also increase granted them last October Garfield's approval of their request told drastic steps would be taken to was to remain in force for the dura- for the increase, the miners told him tion of the war, "not to exceed two they would do the best they could "to keep things going,"